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- 1. Response to Final Office Action mailed June 27, 2005 (14 pgs.);
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- 3. Notice of Appeal (1 pg.);
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A check in the amount of \$760.00 is enclosed to cover a Three Month Extension of Time fee and a Notice of Appeal fee due in connection with this Amendment in Response to the Final Office Action. In the event that any additional fee is due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any amounts required by this filing, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1896.

Respectfully submitted,

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